



The Pensioner: *Looking Forward*

Welcome to the digital MPERS newsletter! *The Pensioner: Looking Forward* contains news, updates, and important information for active employees of the Missouri Department of Transportation, the Missouri State Highway Patrol, and MPERS.

2023 Financial Status Update

Once again, MPERS had an awesome fiscal year!

Check out the short summary from MPERS' Executive Director, Scott Simon, below.



Join Us For the Last Pre-Retirement Webinar of the Year

Please join MPERS in collaboration with Mo Deferred Comp and Employee Health and Wellness, as we hold the last pre-retirement webinar of 2023.

Who

All Closed Plan and Year 2000 Plan members regardless of eligibility status.

When

Wednesday, November 15th
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Where

Online from the comfort of your preferred workspace.

How Do I Register?

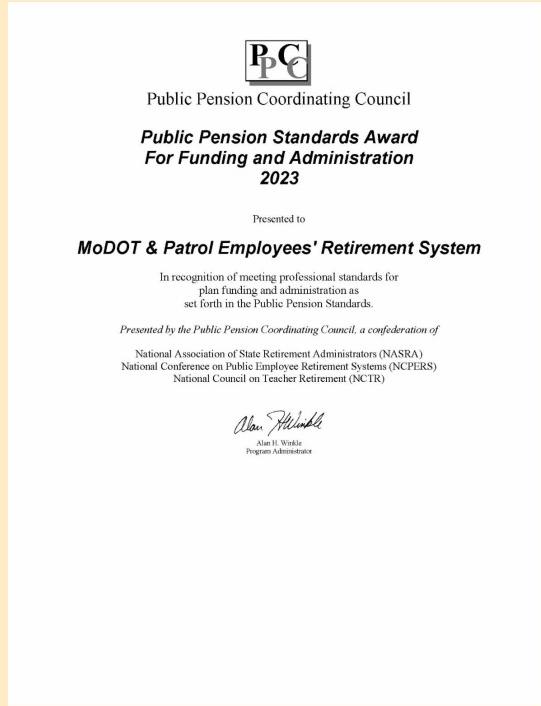
Select the link below and log in to your MPERS account.

Register
Now!

MPERS Receives Public Pension Standards Award for 20th Consecutive Year

MPERS has once again received an award in recognition of meeting professional plan design and administration standards!

If you would like to learn more about the award, please visit the [Public Pension Coordinating Council page](#).



Retirement Deadlines

Intended Date of Retirement	Step 1 <i>Notice of Retirement Due at MPERS</i>	Step 2 <i>Retirement Election Form Due at MPERS</i>
January 1	September 1-November 30	December 31
February 1	October 1-December 31	January 31
March 1	November 1-January 31	February 28
April 1	December 1-February 28	March 31
May 1	January 1-March 31	April 30
June 1	February 1-April 30	May 31
July 1	March 1-May 31	June 30
August 1	April 1-June 30	July 31
September 1	May 1-July 31	August 31
October 1	June 1-August 31	September 30
November 1	July 1-September 30	October 31
December 1	August 1-October 31	November 30

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Upcoming Events

- 10 - Veterans Day, office closed
- 15 - Pre-Retirement webinar for Closed Plan and Year 2000 Plan members, [register here](#)
- 16 - Board meeting
- 23 - Thanksgiving Day, office closed
- 30 - Deadline to submit step 1 - *Notice of Retirement* for January 1 retirement



We value your feedback!

What would you like to see in ***The Pensioner: Looking Forward?***
Send comments and suggestions to Julie.West@mpers.org.